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PATENT

Docket No. 20052/36543B

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

Hay et al.

Serial No: **10/043,403**

Filed: January 10, 2002

) Title: **METHODS AND APPARATUS**
) **FOR SELECTING FARMS TO GROW**
) **A CROP OF INTEREST**
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) Group Art Unit: 3623
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) Examiner: Robinson Boyce
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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL WITH
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the Office action pending in the above application.

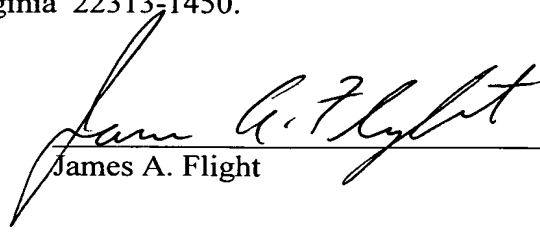
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8)

I hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, on **April 29, 2004** in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

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1. Small Entity Status

- ☐ Verified statement(s) claiming small entity status is(are) attached.
- ☐ Small entity status has been established and is still effective.
- ☒ Has not been established.

2. Extension of Time

- ☒ This is a petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 for the total number of months checked below:

EXTENSION (Months)	FEE FOR LARGE ENTITY		FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	
One Month	X	\$110.00		\$55.00
Two Months		\$420.00		\$210.00
Three Months		\$950.00		\$475.00
Four Months		\$1,480.00		\$740.00
Fifth Month		\$2,010.00		\$1,005.00

If an additional Extension of Time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

Extension Fee: **\$110.00**

- ☐ An extension for month(s) has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Deduction: \$ _____

Extension Fee Due With This Request \$110.00

3. Fee for Claims

☒ The fee for additional claims [(37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d))] has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee	Rate	Additional Fee
TOTAL	9	MINUS	14	= 0	X 9=		X18=	\$0.00
INDEP.	5	MINUS	8	=	X43=		X86=	\$0.00
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim					+145=		+290=	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE							OR	\$0.00

4. Method of Payment of Fees

☒ Attached is a check in the amount of: \$110.00

☐ Charge Deposit Account No. 50-2455 in the amount of: \$_____

A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

5. Deposit Account and Refund Authorization

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the amount enclosed or any additional fees which may be required during the pendency of this application under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 50-2455. A copy of this Transmittal is enclosed.

Please refund any overpayment to Grossman & Flight, LLC at the address below.

Respectfully submitted,

GROSSMAN & FLIGHT, LLC
20 North Wacker Drive
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By:


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April 29, 2004